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1. U.S. Patent No. 5,772,585, dated June 30, 1998, issued to Lavin et al.; and
2. U.S. Patent No. 5,724,580, dated March 3, 1998, issued to Levin et al.

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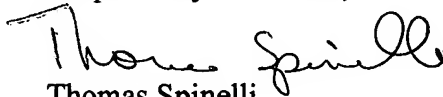
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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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		5,772,585	6/30/98	Lavin et al.			
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